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**PATENT
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37 CFR § 1.116**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

Frederik Kamme and Jessica Y. Zhu

Confirmation No.: 9944

Application No.: 10/080,795

Group Art Unit: 1637

Filing Date: February 22, 2002

Examiner: Young J. Kim

For: Method For Generating Amplified RNA

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.192**

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the Decision of the Primary Examiner mailed **July 27, 2006** finally rejecting claims **1, 2, 4-14 and 16-23** of the above-identified patent application.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

- ☐ Applicant(s) has previously claimed small entity status under 37 CFR §1.27.
- ☐ Applicant(s) by its/their undersigned attorney, claims small entity status under 37 CFR §1.27 as _____ :
- ☐ Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) (fees: 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(1)-(4) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of _____ to and through _____ comprising an extension of the shortened statutory period of _____ .

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| <input type="checkbox"/> ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME | \$60 | \$ | \$120 | \$0.00 |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME | \$510 | \$ | \$1020 | \$0.00 |
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- ☒ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 23-3050 in the amount of **\$500.00**. This sheet is attached in duplicate.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby requested to grant an extension of time for the appropriate length of time, should one be necessary, in connection with this filing or any future filing submitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in the above-identified application during the pendency of this application. The Commissioner is further authorized to charge any fees related to any such extension of time to Deposit Account No. 23-3050. This sheet is provided in duplicate.

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